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COUNCIL

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the city under certain conditions. Resolutions appropriating \$990 to concrete basement floors, and other necessary work at the alms house. Petition of the Emerson Pump Company concerning the improvement of road leading to their works. Petition of the same company for the opening of Duke street to King. Resolution providing for an increase in the salary of the Overseer of Poor.

An ordinance to regulate the speed of fire apparatus in responding to alarms. Petition of Herfurth Bros. for repairs to Fayette street from Princess to Queen.

An ordinance providing for the change of the name Diagonal Road to Merchant street.

Report of the Committee on Streets recommending an appropriation of \$700 to construct a sewer on Duke street from Payne to Fayette.

Report of the Committee on Streets on a petition of William Allen for permission to erect a porch at 521 South Alfred street on lay window line.

Report of the Committee on Streets on a petition of Mrs. William Rogers for permission to rebuild stables at 106 Commerce street destroyed by fire recently.

Report of the Committee on Streets on a petition of the Mutual Ice Company for permission to add another story to their office building at the northeast corner of Cameron and Union streets.

Report of the Committee on Streets on a petition of Jacob Brill for permission to place an electric light on a pole in front of his place at King street and the Strand.

Board calling attention to the need of a new building for the accommodation of colored children.

The board then adjourned.
F. F. MARBURY, President.
Teste: LUTHER H. THOMPSON, Clerk.

COMMON COUNCIL

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Alexandria, held February 13th, 1917, there were present: Howard W. Smith, Esq., President, and Messrs. Evans, Foster, Kaufman, Desmond, Carlin, Burke, Ballenger and Bryan.

A resolution appropriating \$2,700 to construct roadway on Duke street northwardly on the diagonal road to the dividing line between Fairfax County and Alexandria County was recommended by the joint Committee on Streets and Finance and passed, Ayes 9, Noes 0.

A resolution appropriating \$1,500 for a roadway on King Street southwardly on the diagonal road to the old dividing line between Fairfax County and Alexandria County was recommended by the joint committee on Streets and Finance and passed, Ayes 9, Noes 0.

A resolution appropriating \$400 to construct pipe sewer from Fayette street eastward on Duke street to Henry street was recommended by the joint Committee on Streets and Finance and passed, Ayes 9, Noes 0.

A resolution appropriating \$1,000 to purchase asphalt for road work was recommended by the joint Committee on Streets and Finance and passed, Ayes 9, Noes 0.

A resolution appropriating \$1,000 to purchase broken stone for road work was recommended by the joint Committee on Streets and Finance and passed, Ayes 9, Noes 0.

A resolution appropriating \$75 to construct a sidewalk north side of King street from overhead bridge to Russell road was recommended by the joint Committee on Streets and Finance and passed, Ayes 9, Noes 0.

The Committee on Streets recom-

mended that permission be granted Jacob Brill to erect a sign at the corner of King street and the Strand and to the Mutual Ice Company to erect second story to office building Cameron and Union streets, and to Mrs. Wm. Rogers, corner of King and Fayette streets to repair property damaged by fire as specified by the Committee on Streets, and to Mr. Wm. Allen to build porch at No. 521 South Alfred street and the reports were adopted.

A resolution appropriating \$700 for a sewer on Duke street, Payne to Fayette street, was referred to the committee on streets.

An ordinance to change the name of Diagonal road to Merchant street was offered by Mr. Smith and referred to the Committee on Streets.

A communication from the Emerson Pump Co., relating to opening a street from Duke to King street was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A petition from Herfurth Bros. to repair Fayette street between Princess and Oronoco streets, was referred to the Committee on Streets and Finance.

A resolution to regulate the speed of Automobile fire engine and other automobiles at time of fire alarms was offered by Mr. Desmond and referred to the Joint Committee on General Laws and Fire.

A resolution to increase the pay of Superintendent of Alms House was offered by Mr. Kaufman and referred to the Joint Committee on Finance and Poor.

A resolution appropriating \$950 to concrete the basement and other work at the Alms House was offered by Mr. Kaufman and referred to the Joint Committee on Finance, Poor and Public Property.

An ordinance to provide for the granting of the right to erect, maintain and use steel waste baskets or boxes on the streets was referred to the Joint Committee on Streets and General Laws.

A resolution appropriating \$500 to be expended by the Associated Charities was offered by Mr. Burke and referred to the Joint Committee on Finance and Poor.

A petition from the patrons and friends of the colored schools with the recommendation from the City School Board requesting funds be provided for buying a lot and erecting a suitable building to take care of all the colored children of the city was received and referred to the joint committee on Finance and Schools.

A resolution increasing the pay of the police force and Fire Department as passed at the last meeting was returned from the Board of Aldermen as amended by that board. Council refused to concur in the amendment and Messrs. Bryan and Desmond were appointed a committee of conference. The committee reported that they have agreed to let the resolution stand as originally passed by this board and the report was adopted, Ayes 9, Noes 0.

An ordinance providing for the regulation of vehicles and forbidding obstructions to Fire hydrants was received from the Board of Aldermen and laid over under the rules.

The following was received from the Board of Aldermen and their action concurred in.

A report of the committee on Light to remove gas burners and cap posts at street corners where electric lights have been installed.

Also a statement from the Alexandria County Lighting Company showing lights installed and where they have been unable to place lights.

Also a resolution to place crossings at the intersection of Patrick and Pendleton streets.

Also a resolution for an electric light at Franklin and Patrick streets, and Gibson and Patrick streets.

The board then adjourned.
HOWARD W. SMITH, President.
DANIEL R. STANSBURY, Clerk C. C.

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25 pieces new fancy Voils, 40 inches wide, worth 25c, at 19c
20 new styles White Check Dimity, 25c value, 18c
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40-inch White Fancy Voil Waistings, 39c value, 25c
50 pieces English Long Cloths, 15c value, 12 1-2c
English Nainsooks, 25c value, 18c
English Nainsooks, 30c value, 25c
White 'Sherettes', 25c value, 20c
White Sherettes, 20c value, 15c
Case light Percals, best quality, 18c value, 15c

Case 32-inch Dress Gingham, 18c value, 15c
Case new Organdy Lawns, 18c value, 15c
38-inch Silk Mercerized Crepe de Chenes, 69c value, 59c
25 pieces new Plain Color Voils, Satin Stripes, 25c value, 15c
36-inch new fancy Pongee Silks, \$1.35 value, \$1.19
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Extra heavy Huck Towels, 29c value, 25c
72-inch White Satin Linen Damasks, \$1.50 value, \$1.25
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Fearing that his wife of ten days has met with foul play, or might be a victim of white slavers, Dr. A. Parker Pray, of Chicago, Ill., wrote the Baltimore police department asking that they make every effort to locate her. Mrs. Pray, who, before her marriage was Miss Pearl May Pickett, of New Windsor, Md., was married to Dr. Pray on February 16 of last year, and just ten days later disappeared and has not since been heard from. There was no reason, according to the husband, for Mrs. Pray to leave him, and it is for this reason that the doctor, who is a wealthy patent medicine manu-

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Two large ammunition factories at Thon, East Prussia, and at Glueckauf, in Quickborn, near Hamburg, were destroyed by explosions last week. Sixty-three persons were killed and the same number wounded.

COUNCIL LAST NIGHT.

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salary being made \$60 in the general increase of \$5 a month given firemen and policemen recently.

It was explained by Councilman Desmond that the reason for asking for this increase was because Mr. Clapdore looks after a third horse the fire department now has which he has been doing for the past three months.

The lower branch non-concurred in the matter and asked for a conference committee, and President Smith named Messrs. Bryan and Desmond on this committee, and Aldermen Robison and Harrison were appointed by President Marbury of the Aldermen. They reported adversely on the increase and their report was adopted. In addition to his salary it was explained that Mr. Clapdore receives \$5 a month for looking after the reliance engine.

A resolution that the corporation attorney prepare an ordinance making it unlawful to place obstructions in front of fire hydrants or to stand vehicles within fifteen feet of same and making the offense punishable by a fine of from \$5 to \$25 was referred.

Petition from the city school board asking for the erection of a school building to be used for colored boys and girls to take the place of Snowden school, destroyed by fire last March and Hollowell school, for girls, the latter being in bad shape, was referred to committee on finance and schools.

Accompanying the communication from the school board was a resolution from colored citizens asking council for same.

Bill of Alexandria County Lighting Company, incorporated, for \$769 for lights for January was referred. In a communication the lighting company explained its inability to place poles at Cameron and Washington, Duke and Lee and Cameron and Henry streets because of objections raised by property owners and this was referred to the corporation attorney for action.

The light committee recommended that gas lamps be "capped up" where electric lights have been installed, and its report was adopted.

An ordinance of Councilman Smith to change name of "Diagonal road" to that of Merchants' street was referred to the street committee, it being explained by Councilman Ballenger that this was the correct name for this road.

Resolutions of Councilman Kaufman appropriating \$990 to concrete basement floor and make other necessary improvements at city alms house was referred to committee on finance and streets, and increasing salary of Joshua Sherwood, keeper of alms house, from \$25 to \$35 a month referred to committee on finance and poor.

Appropriations made follow: \$1,000 for purchase of broken stone; \$1,000 for purchase of asphalt; \$1,500 for macadam road and \$2,700 for similar road on Diagonal road; \$400 for sewer on Duke between Henry and Fayette, \$75 for cinder walk at head of King street to connect with Russell road.

The other business transacted will be found in the official proceedings.

There was being unloaded at the New York navy yard yesterday from railroad lighters a large number of naval guns of various sizes, which, according to information emanating from the yard, are intended for the arming of American merchantmen in case this policy is decided upon.

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